sage of forty seven days.

booner General G. S. Merritt

calded on Gull shoals, is going to British steamer Mobile is sted as missing. — No serious jury has been done to the peach op in Georgia by the cold wave. Wm L. Mott, charged with arder, committed suicide in jail at nessier, Pa. -- The report that hn Wilson Durant was killed in a el at Ostend was an invention of orn -- The Duke of Manches on his arrival at Liverpool with American bride was served with tice of a breach of promise suit. NY. markets: Money on call v at 2:03 per cent.; cotton easy, ddling uplands 8 15-16c; flour s steady; wheat-spot very dull firm, No. 2 red Suic f. o. b. shoat; u-spot quiet and steady, No. 2 satelerator and 47to f. o. b. afloat; s-spot dull, No. 2 31c; rosin dull; rits turpentine easy at 39 @394c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., March 6. Temperatures: 8 A. M., 24 degrees; M., 33 degrees; maximum, 49 de m; minimum, 23 degrees; mean, 36

Rinfall for the day, -; rainfall ce first of the month to date, -. FORECAST FOR TO DAY.

WASHINGTON Marc's 6.-For North polins-Fair Thursday and warmer es.ern portion; winds generally athwesterly, fresh on the coast.

Port Almanac ... March ...

..... 6 01 P. M.

Senator Morgan is seventy-seven arsold, but his tongue isn't more

J. Pierpont Morgan isn't manipuing combines for fun. He raked \$7,500,000 for putting up the

The British war office wants \$429,-0,000 for army expenses this year, out \$230,000,000 of which is for e South African racket.

The superintendent of public orks in Vineland, N. J., receives salary of one dollar a month. But is rich and holds the office for

e honor of the thing. About one-eighth of the total paid pensions comes South, where ere are, including Maryland and issouri, 169,553 pensioners out of he nearly 1,000,000 on the rolls.

Nearly all the large cities East of he Mississippi sent their cleverest etectives to Washington before inaguration day to help the local orce to spot the crooks who were rowding in.

A Massachusetts politician is posog as a curiosity by alleging that he ad been offered a million dollar ribe and refused it. If so, he possi-

ly thought he other fellow was practical joker. Some of the Northern papers estinate the cost of the inauguration now at from \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,-

00. That's pretty steep, but we ould be getting off cheap if that at all McKinley cost us. North Dakota has passed an act pay a bounty for wolf scalps. But

ith the experience of South Daotashe will probably require a cerheate that the wolf scalps are not or wild dog scalps.

There are great pine forests in nizona, at an elevation of from 2000 to 7,500 feet above sea level.

They cover an area of about eight about a square miles, and it is stimited they would now yield 10,-00,000,000 feet of 1 umber.

Gen. DeWet has good reason to es strenuous nighter and British ater. His sons have been killed battle, his wife died of grief and orry, his farm has been confiscat-

A Montreal doctor says the long kirts which women wear sweep the dewalks and are responsible for many ailments. As a matter of act wouldn't it be a good deal dere wensible for women to wear bort d.esses that it wouldn't be then walking?

THE MORNING STAR.

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WILMINGTON, N. C., THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1901.

LOCAL DOTS.

- The Norwegian barque Inverdruie arrived last night from London. - The Young People's Organ Fund Society of . Grace M. E. Church will meet to night.

- The adjourned annual meeting of Carolina Central stockholders is expected to be held here this morning at 11 o'clock.

- Nothing has as yet been heard from Judge Hoke in the habeas corpus proceedings argued before him at Burgaw Tuesday.

- The regular monthly meeting of the Dorcas Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will be held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

- The barque Chas. Loring cleared yesterday for New York: the schooner Abbie G. Cole arrived from St. Croix, West Indies.

- The North Carolina Sorosis will meet promptly this afternoon at o'clock at its club rooms, corner Fifth and Orange streets.

- The barque Chas. Loring and chooners Laguna and Edgar C. Ross passed out at Southport for their respective voyages at noon yesterday. - "Quo Vadis" will be presented

one night at the theatre during the week beginning March 25th. Gorton's minstrels will be the attraction on the scriptions, \$42.57; pay patients, \$75; 15th inst.

- The union meeting of the Eastern Baptist Association will be held on the Fifth Sunday in March at Ivanhoe, Sampson county. The First Baptist Church of this city has extended an invitation to the Association to hold its next union meeting

Four Fires Yesterday.

The department responded to four fire alarms yesterday up to 2 o'clock in the afternoon, but notwithstanding the high winds, probably not over \$10 loss in each instance was sustained. The location of the several fires, etc., was as follows: Box 18 at 7:32 A M., No. 913 North Eighth street, occupied by Mrs. Carolina Pickett, caused by sparks from chimney; box 16 at 10:23 A. M., No. 305 Brunswick street, occupied by B. H. Barnes and owned by Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy, cause unknown; telephone alarm about 1:30 P. M., No. 216 North Fifth gh Water Wilmington. 11 94 K. M. Alderman, caused by sparks from shimney: box 53 about 2 P. M., residence of Mr. A. J. Hanby. Orange between Seventh and Eighth streets, caused by sparks from chimney.

Proceeding in Bankruptcy.

No answer was received yesterday by Mr. W. H. Shaw, Clerk of the United States Court in this city, to the petition recently filed by creditors of H. O. Covington, of Laurinburg, asking that he be adjudged a bankrupt and that a recent assignment to Walter H. Neal, Esq , be set aside. Yesterday was the last day set for filing of an answer to the petition but the law provides that in the absence of the Judge from the district and the answer not having been received by the clerk on the next day after the last day set for filing the answer it shall be referred to the referee of the district, which will be done if the answer is not forthcoming to-day.

Sale of Land.

A deed was filed at the Court House vesterday transferring from Mary F. Litterloh to E. L. Utley, both of Cumberland county, a tract of land containing 488 acres which is situated in New Hanover county on the east side of the Northeast branch of the Cape Fear river, and lies adjoining the "Rose Hill" plantation, formerly owned by the late Thos. T. Davis, The consideration was \$1,350.

Swore Off for Six Months.

John Watson, who was arrested Tuesday for creating a disturbance in the vicinity of Eighth and Dawson streets, was tried at noon yesterday by Justice Borneman. The defendant avowed in open court that he would "swear off" from drinking for six months, and the justice, in considera tion of that fact, let him off upon payment of the costs in the case.

A Pleasant Entertainment.

The grab bag party given last night by the ladies of Letitia Lodge, Rebekah Degree, I. O. O. F., at the residence of Mrs. Lillie Harris, 410 South Fourth street, was a very pleasant affair, and there was a large attendance. Ice cream, cake and other re freshments were served. The proceeds from the entertainment will go for a worthy cause.

Many Candidates to be Initiated.

Wilmington Lodge No. 139, I. O. O. F., will confer the initiatory degree on thirty-three candidates to-night. The Past Grand's charge will be de ivered by Capt. J. M. McGowan. Refreshments will be served after the ceremonies.

Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber of Commerce will meet

d, and he has very little left to live to save to fight for his country. ing. This is the time for the annual meeting of the body but it is possible that the business incident to the closing of the year's business may be deferred until later.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Meeting-Second ward. Louis H. Skinner-Notice. Z. E. Murrell-For Alderman.

Monthly Report of the Superintendent Approved and Ordered on File--Electric Lights for New Building.

HOSPITAL MANAGERS MET

The Board of Managers of the Hospital met Tuesday afternoon and pass ed upon the February report of Dr. A. H. Harriss, acting 'superintendent of the institution since the death of Dr. W. W. Lane.

Present at the meeting were Chair man McRachern, Commissioner Montgomery and Alderman Spencer.

The report showed the following statistics: Number of patients treated during the month, 61. Of that number there were 33 whites, 21 males and 19 females; 28 colored, 20 males and 8 females. There were 26 patients remaining in the hospital on January 31st; admitted during February, 35; discharged, 29; died 5, and there were

remaining February 28th, 27 patients. The total number of days pay patients were treated was 78, charity patients, 694; rations furnished pay patients, 694, employes, 420. The average cost per capita per day was 134 cents.

The expenditures were: For subsistence, \$161 31; general expenses, \$213 42; pay roll, \$219.50. Total, \$593 23,

The receipts were: Cash for pre-

city, \$166.66; county, \$250. Total receipts, \$534 23. Oa motion a committee, composed of Chairman McEachern and Commissioner Montgomery, was appointed to make arrangements for furnishing electric lights to the James Walker Memorial Hospital.

THE NEW CITY CHARTER AGAIN.

Petition Phyoring Rejection by Legislature or Adoption at the Polis.

A very strong petition signed by more than a hundred representative business and professional men asking the General Assembly not to pass the city charter unless submitted to the people for ratification at the polls, was yesterday forwarded by telegraph to State Senator Morton and it serves as a substantial support to his contention all along that before a measure of so much moment and against which there is such a strong sentiment, should be put upon the people, they should have the rights of its adoption or rejection at the polls. It has been shown that it would en-

tail no further expense, time or trouble to have the people pass upon the measure at the pri maries ten days from date and as Senator Morton contemplates no further amendments than submitting it to the people, this appears easily the best solution of a question which has been widely discussed for the past two or three months.

THE HOLLOWBUSH ORCHESTRA

Has Been Engaged to Play This Sesson at the Seashore Hotel.

The famous Hollwbush Orchestra, of Raleigh, has been engaged for the coming season by Mr. Joe H. Hinton, manager of the Seashore Hotel, and this announcement will no doubt be received with much genuine interest not only in Wilmington but throughout the entire State. The contract has been signed and the band will be here on June 1st and will remain to the end of the season.

Mr. Hinton is alive to the wants of the people and he is determined to make the coming season at the Seashore Hotel equal to that enjoyed by any Summer resort hotel on the South Atlantic coast. Securing the Hollow bush Orchestra is another step in that direction as its reputation reaches far and wide as being one of the best orchestras between Washington and Atlanta. The band is exceedingly popular in Wilmington.

MARRIED LAST NIGHT.

Mr. Harry P. Parrow Weds Miss Mary Prancis Kelly at 9 O'clock.

A quiet but very impressive mar riage ceremony was solemnized last night at 9 o'clock at the residence of the Rev. Jno. H. Hall, pastor of Fifth street M. E. Church, when Miss Mary Francis Kelly, daughter of Mr. James E. Kelly, was united in the bonds of matrimony to Mr. Harry F. Farrow, the popular young salesman at The Orton cigar and news stand.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Hall in the presence of a few intimate friends of the bride and groom, after which the party was entertained at a reception in another part of the city.

SECOND WARD MEETING.

Voters Called to Assemble To-night for Consideration of Primary.

A meeting of the Becond Ward voters will be held at the office of the Merchants' Association in the Seaboard Air Line building this evening at 8 o'elock for the purpose of considering municipal matters, most probably the selection of aldermen and executive committeemen to be voted for at the primary Monday week.

Carolina Yacht Club.

The governing board of Carolina Yacht Club has named the following officers and committees: Regatta Committee, Messrs. A. B. Skelding (chairman), R. A. Pareley and J. VanB. Metts; Mr. G. D. Parsley, measurer; Mr. J. F. Gause, superintendent of club, and Mr. J. P. Watson, janitor. of the House.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Justices Furches and Douglass Make Reply to the Articles of Impeachment.

WILMINGTON PILOTAGE BILL.

A Compromise Agreement-The Revenue Act - Prohibition for Cumberland County-The General School Law-A. & M. College.

[Special Star Telegram.] RALEIGH, N. C., March 6.-The Senate, sitting as a court of impeachment, at noon to day received the answer on the part of Chief Justice Furches and Associate Justice Douglas, to the articles of impeachment by the House of Representatives. The lobbies and galleries were crowded with spectators. Reading the answer required nearly three hours, after

noon, when replication on the part of the House managers will be received. The defendant judges were present to day accompanied by the following counsel: Messrs. Jarvis, Cook, F. H. Busbee, Patterson, Osborne, Long, Bynum. Counsel associated with the House managers in the prosecution, Davidson, C. M. Busbee, Guthrie, Watson, J. H. Pou. The answer as read before the court consists of fifty pages of typewritten manuscript.

which a recess was taken until Friday

A bill was introduced in the Senate by Aycock to day, the object of which is to put the A. and M. College under control of the Agricultural Department, so the college can get the surplus income of the department. The movement is strongly opposed by friends of the Agricultural Department, as it will greatly hamper the work, cripple the museum and other departments in their work.

Other bills introduced were: By Foushee, to repeal the charter of the Southport, Wilmington and Western Railroad Co; to protect interests of infants and married women in corporations. By London, to pay vitnesses attending the court of impeachment. By Warren, to require all sales of real estate and personal property to be made by an auctioneer. By Aycock, to provide funds by taxing dogs to supply school books to certain children. By Burroughs, for government of life insurance companies and policy colders. By Morrison, to allow Richmond county to issue bonds; also to amend the charter of Roskingham.

Many local bills passed readings. The only ones notable were to charter the Atlantic and Northwestern Railroad Company; to establish a stock law in parts of Pamlico.

A bill passed the House this after noon providing prohibition for Fayetteville and Cumberland county. The discussion was very lively. Ourtis said the Assembly had enough of this Cumberland fight and moved to table the bill. The motion was lost and the bill passed final reading-64 to 33, If the bill passes the Senate it will abolish the Fayetteville dispensary and establish prohibition throughout the county.

The general school law passed the House, with amendments exempting Bladen, Gates and Lenoir counties from the operation of section 16, as to qualifications of superintendents.

The bill incorporating the State's prison and providing for its government by a board of five directors, passed without material amendment. It provides that the Governor appoint the directors and the chairman be superintendent.

A great portion of the morning ses sion of the House was devoted to consideration of the revenue act. Much of the time was consumed by discus sion of the income tax, and it was finally let open for further discussion later. Sections 49 to 70 were considered and nearly all passed upon. Sec tion 68 was reconsidered and referred to a committee.

The following among other bills passed the House to-night: To allow Sanford to issue bonds for water works; to allow tax collectors to carry concealed weapons; to prevent live stock running at large in Bladen county; to incorporate the Wayne and Sampson Railroad Company; to incorporate Clarkton; making certain sections of Pamlico, Perquimans and Chowan counties stock law territory; to incorporate certain churches in Robeson county; to incorporate Carthenian Lodge of Masons, Rocky

Mount. The bill providing for courts for sixteen judicial districts was considered this afternoon and to-night finally passed, with an amendment that L. I. Moore is made solicitor in the Fourth district.

At 9:30 o'clock the House went into committee of the whole to consider the Revenue act, corrected clerical errors, etc., and passed the bill on second reading, with the understand-

Appropriations and Education considered appropriations for various educational ir stitutions to-night and decided upon the following: University-regular, \$50,000; extra, \$30,000; total \$80,000. Normal-regular, \$50,-000; extra, \$60,000, four years; total, \$10,000. A. and M. College-regular \$20,000; extra, \$40,000; total, \$60,000. Grand total \$250,000.

The Committee on Privileges and Elections decided to report favorable for the sitting member-Wilcox B. Seawell—in the election contest from Moore county. The case is unique because the decision was not reached until the last week before adjournment

Advocates and opponents of the Wilmington Pilotage bill reached an

agreement to-day by which the bill will pass the Senate to-morrow with was here yesterday. an amendment that vessels pay the inward and outward pilotage fee once, and then have license for a year at 25

concession on the part of advocates of the bill to the extent of paying the first outward fee. Messrs. Arringdale, Parsley and

afternoon. RIVER AND HARBOR WORK.

Japt. Adkins left for their homes this

cents per registered ton. This is a

Failure of the Bill in Congress Results Seriously to Cape Fear and Other Improvement

It develops that the failure of the river and harbor bill to pass the Congress of the United States will be seriously felt locally and that it will result in a practical cessation of the river and harbor work here and in the throwing out of employment of 50 or 60 persons. This will not only be the effect of the failure of the bill to pass but all over North Carolina and the country at large the force engaged in this work will be largely reduced.

All the dredges, tugs, scows, stump oullers and other floating apparatus n the Cape Fear improvement will be called in and their crews discharged except only a few men to have charge of the boats while laid up in the yards, which for this section will ikely be at Wilmington or Newbern. Another appropriation to begin the work is not possible before March, 1902. It is quite likely, also, that the clerical force in the several offices will se reduced. A number of the men laid off, however, can secure work at Fort Caswell, the improvement of which will not be hampered by the cutting off of the appropriation. It, of course, necessarily follows that

the plans for the mooring dolphins, upper Cape Fear improvement, deep ening of Northeast river, an inland water-way, and other projects, have all been shattered, to say nothing of the very material improvements that have gone on in the lower Cape Fear for the past several years.

ELECTED GRAND REPRESENTATIVE.

Jefferson Lodge Held Enthusiastic Meeting Last Night-Joint Session.

At last night's meeting of Jefferson

Lodge No. 61, K. of P., Mr. R. S. Collins was unanimously elected to the office of Grand Representative to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina for a period of two years, succeeding Mr. H. E. Bonitz, whose term had expired. The meeting was an enthusiastic one, and nine applications for membership were received and favorably reported. Jefferson Lodge is just now very meeting on the night of March 20th it

will be visited by the three sister lodges in the city in the second of the series of joint Pythian meetings for the year, and preparations are being made for an elaborate affair. As previously stated in these columns, Mr. E. H. Munson has been chosen mas-Branch his assistant. These gentlemen have appointed a committee of arrangements, consisting of Capt. J. ries. C. Morrison, Col. W. J. Woodward, Dr. Jno. N. Johnson, Messrs. A. S. Holden, H. E. Bonitz and R. S. Col-

There will be a number of speeches by different members, including one by Dr. Johnson, who has chosen as his theme "Unity."

WILMINGTON'S CITY CHARTER

Will Be Payorably Reported to the Senat With Amendment to Submit It to a Vote of the People.

[Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., March 6 .- The Senate Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns heard argument this afternoon on Wilmington's new charter. and decided unanimously to report favorably, with amendment by Morton that the charter be submitted to a vote of the people. It was also agreed that some change should be made in the clause requiring that all who vote in city elections shall have paid a poll tax. The present phraseology of the bill is not thought constitutional so far as the poll tax clause is concerned. The charter comes up in the Senate to-

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining Uncalled For in the Wilmington Postoffice February 20, 1901.

WOMEN'S LIST. Mrs John Adams Sallie Anderson. Annie Blane, Catherine Barney, M. M Gutchell, Cornelia Hines, Lula Hinson, Mary Jordan (2), Mrs. J Kelley (2). Mrs W W Kinmer, M John Lucas, Mrs Ed McDonnal, Rachel Moore, Maria McKoy, Lucy Mayo, Gussie Paul, Bessie Smith, Mrs ing to consider the income tax and other clauses which are opposed, on third reading.

The Joint Committee on Finance,

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Appropriations and Education are tax and other clauses Faul, Desaie Smith, Mrs Saunt, Desaie Smith, Desaie S

> Henry Anderson A T Blake, Ernest Brown, John Buers, Wm Brown, Miles P Coston John Elwood, Erastus C Eaton, Arnell Gibbs, Vinenzo Gerado, A A Hoese, John Hill Jack Levy, Anguish Martin, Bishop Mitchell, Fred S Miller, Joseph Moses, R W Marshall, W McQulorn, Ernest Porter, W A Robbins, T J Rittenbank, M L Ratenskey, J A Bobinson, Bryan Shamwell, Frank Swann, J A Saye (2). Levis Stanford, Milo B Stephens, W Southerland, John Turner, Charles Williams, G W Wright, T T Wright. Persons calling for above letters will please say advertised. If not called for in fifteen days they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. C. Darby, Henry Anderson A T Blake, Ernest

MEN'S LIST.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

- Mr. A. M. McNair, of Maxton,

- Mr. A. R. Stephens, of Charlotte, is at The Orton.

- Miss Clara Woodward arrived home from Raleigh yesterday evening. - Mr. A. F. Powell, of Vineland, was an arrival in the city last even-

- Mrs. Price, of Southport, is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. W. A.

- Mr. Robert E. Townsend, of Wilson, is here on a visit to his uncle, Mr. A. S. Heide. - Herbert McClammy, Esq., is

at Jacksonville, N. C., on profes-

sional business. - Mr. S. F. Burbank, of the U. S. Engineer's Department at Washington, N. C., is at The Octon.

Worth returned yesterday from Raleigh where they went in the interest of the city charter. - Mr. and Mrs. L. Vernon Carroll formerly of Brunswick, Ga., are pleasantly located at Mrs. Quells' on Dock street. Mr. Carroll has recently

- Messrs. J. A. Taylor and C.

bought half interest in the livery business of Mr. R. C. Orrell. - John H. Gore, Jr., Esq., left yesterday for Raleigh on professional business. He will return via Wake Forest and accompany Mrs. Gore who will return home from a visit to her

parents there. - Mr. Austin Randolph Norris, one of the operators in the Western Union office, this city, left yesterday for Lawrenceville, Ga, to appear as a witness in an important railroad suit now in hearing there.

NOTICE OF CITY PRIMARY.

It Will Be Filed To-day With the Clerk and Treasurer-Candidates.

The notice of the calling of the Democratic municipal primaries March 28th, will be filed with the City Clerk and Treasurer to day in conformity to the law requiring ten day's notice of such purpose. The official notice of the primary will be made from that office to-morrow. Each of the three candidates for mayor have been allowed by the Executive Committee to select one of the three inspectors of the primary election and they will be named in this way. The polling places will be the same as for

the regular election ten days later. By the provision of the special act passed by the House of Representatives yesterday only the Mayor, Board of Aldermen and City Executive Committee will be elective by the people, the selection of a Chief of Police having been left to the Aldermen. It may much alive from the fact that at its be possible that a bill will be introduced making the City Attorney elective at the primaries but it is now believed that this bill will not be pushed to a pasage. In this morning's paper new an-

nouncements for aldermen are: Mr. Z E. Murrell from First ward, and Messrs Lonis H. Skinner and E. P. ter of ceremonies and Mr. George W. Bailey from Fourth ward, all of whom have consented to allow their names to be presented to the prima-

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

A number of taxpayers of the Fourth Ward after carefully canvassing the fi-ld beg to present to the voters of the Ward the names of E P. BAILEY and LOUIS H SKINNER for Alder-

Second Ward.

Meeting this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock, n the rooms of the Merchants' Exchange, S. A. L. Building. Municipal matters will be dis-

For Alderman.

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Z. E. MURRELL, FOR CITY ATTORNEY.

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mar 6 tf LOUIS H. SKINNER

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dacy for Alderman from the Fourth

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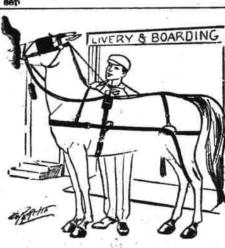
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